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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FOR : Real-Time Commodity Trading Method and Apparatus

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EXAMINER : James S. McClellan

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### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

SIR:

Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2003, for which a three-month response period ending May 5, 2003 was set. The extended deadline is August 5, 2003.

A check enclosed herewith includes the amount of Four-Hundred-and-Sixty-Five Dollars (\$465.00) in payment of the fee for a three-month extension for a small entity. Small entity status applies to this case.

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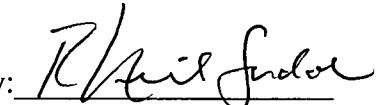
An Amendment and a Request for Continued Examination are enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with this communication, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0838. A copy of this Request is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Please note that the correspondence address and the telephone number for this application has been changed to the address set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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